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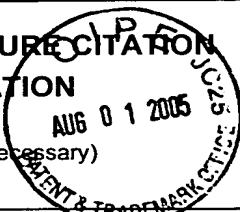
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		ENGLYST et al., "Digestions of polysaccharides of potato in the small intestine of man <sup>1-3</sup> ", American Journal of Clinical Nutrition, 1987, 45, pages 423-431.

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